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LOT 10, block 1, North addition, cor. Union and Edmund sts.; size, 70x170 feet. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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FOR SALE—One and a half story house, 4 rooms, and out-buildings. Situated on corner of Decatur and Monroe streets; lot containing one-half acre. Price, $1500. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE.

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A FARM of 103 acres for sale, situated 3 miles west of the city; 60 acres in cultivation; nearly all fenced with new rail fence, a story and a half house, 16x32 feet; good well, &c. Price, $35 per acre. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE. 1121.

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178 ACRES OF FARM LAND for sale about 1½ miles south-west of Macon, two houses, with necessary outbuildings on said farm. All under cultivation will sell at a bargain. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

800 ACRES in Piatt Co.; mostly prairie. Price, $26.50 per acre. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.

April 26, 1872—d-tf.

POST OFFICE HOURS.

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Northern Mail	arrives at 5:00 P. M.	
" "	closes at 1:35 P. M.	
Southern "	arrives at 5:30 A. M.	
" "	closes at 4:30 P. M.	
Eastern "	arrives at 2:35 P. M	
" "	closes at 10:30 A. M.	
Western "	arrives at 11:40 P. M.	
" "	closes at 1:55 P. M.	

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GOING SOUTH.

2:16 A. M. ..... 5:40 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

5:17 A. M. ..... 2:21 P. M.

Freight Trains.

GOING NORTH.

3:32 A. M. .....
11.30 A. M. ..... 2:30 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

9:30 A. M. ..... 3:33 P. M.

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E. M. MISNER, agent, Decatur.

T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 40 p. m
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 45 a. m.
"	Decatur	2 40 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9—Leaves Decatur ..... 6:45 a. m

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 25 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	12 10 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	5 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 11—Leaves Decatur ..... 8:00 p. m

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West		2 50 p. m
" "	Accom "	6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East		8 40 a. m
" "	Accom "	3 45 p. m

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K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

Paris and Decatur R. R.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JANUARY 20, 1873, trains will leave Decatur for Paris and Mattoon as follows;

Express	10:00 a m
Accommodation	5:00 p m
Express—arrives at Paris	2:05 p m
Accom'n—arrives at Mattoon	6:40 "
Express—leaves Paris	6:00 p m
Arrives at Decatur	10:45 "
Accom'n—leaves Mattoon	7:15 a m
Arrives at Decatur	11:10 "

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Decatur, Feb. 23, 1871-tf.

TERRIBLE ADVENTURE OF ANNA DICKINSON.

Miss Anna Dickinson has had many curious adventures in keeping her lecture appointments, but none funnier than that which occurred in New Jersey a few nights since, as told by the Jersey City Journal. She was engaged to lecture in Newark, and was a passenger from Jersey City on an evening train of which Mr. Crane was the gentlemanly conductor. She intended to alight at the Market street depot, but for some unexplained reason she was taken to South Broad street, some distance beyond. When Mr. Crane's train stopped at this station, says the Journal, "he found that the only way he could get Miss Dickinson over the swamp which lies between the tracks and the street on which was a horse car, was to take her on his back and wade through the mud and quagmire, in some places knee deep, to dry land. Miss D. saw there was no help for it, and, covering her face with her vail to hide her blushes, put her arms about Mr. C's. neck, which, doubtless for him was not an unpleasant operation, and left the rest to fate. When half way through the swamp of dangers, the conductor called lustily to the driver of the horse-car who was about to start, to "hold on;" Jehu was hard of hearing, and so the louder the conductor yelled the more energetically the driver whipped into a run his "jaded steeds." But we cannot continue this painful scene. Suffice it to say that the conductor yelled "bloody murder;" that some of the passengers on the car heard the cry, and that finally Miss Dickinson and her poor jaded steed were lifted up to dry land and happiness. "Anna," concluded the Journal, "never looked prettier, smiled sweeter or delivered her thoughts in a more musical tone than she did last Wednesday night—and it was noticed all through the lecture that her eyes fairly laughed at the recollection of how she was landed in Newark."

PLEASURES OF CANADIAN COLD WEATHER.

From the Quebec Mercury, Feb. 18.

To the people at a distance the daily experience of a cold 10° or 15° below zero (or the degree of Fahrenheit) seem a dreadful tribulation. We may note, however, that the atmosphere here inland is so dry that the temperature is not alone endurable and as pleasant as any in the year, but, especially, when there is no wind, is far more bearable and in fact agreeable, than 40° or 50° higher feels with a raw east wind in autumn. In proof of this we have but to say that with bright sunshine and even a moderate wind, the city matrons, beaux and belles never think of missing their daily promenade simply because thermometer marks, as to-day, 10° below zero, and we have met the handsomest and most delicate women out and far from home when the mercury has been 30° below zero. Then, in sunny spots, or those shaded from the wind, puny and delicate children of five years old, will, as we have often seen to-day and every day, spend their morning and afternoon out on the snow, sliding, shovelling or building castles and houses with no extra clothing on them beyond what they wear indoors, save a light fur cap, woolen blouse, one pair of over-socks, rubber shoes and mits

WHEN a woman has a hen to drive into a coop she takes hold of her hoops with both hands, shakes them quietly towards the delinquent, and says—"Shew! there." The hen takes one look at the object to convince herself it's a woman, and then stalks majestically into the coop, in perfect disgust of the sex. A man don't do that way.—He goes out doors and says, "It is singular nobody in this house can drive a hen but myself," and picking up a stick of wood hurls it at the offending biped and observes, "Get in there, you thief." The hen immediately loses her reason and dashes to the other end of the yard. The man straightway dashes after her. She comes back again with her head down, her wings out, and followed by an assortment of stove-wood, fruit-cans, and coal-clinkers, with a much-puffing and very mad man in the rear. Then she skims up on the stoop and under the barn, and over a fence or two and around the house, and back again to the coop, all the while talking as only an excited hen can talk, and all the while followed by things convenient for handling, and by a man whose coat is on the ground and perspiration and profanity appear to have no limit. By this time the other hens have come out to take hand in the debate and help dodge the missiles—and then the man says every hen on the place shall be sold in the morning, and put on his things and goes down street, and the woman dons her hoops and has every one of those hens in the coop and contented in two minutes, and, the only sound heard on the premises is the hammering by the oldest boy as he mends the pickets.—[Danbury News

AN Oregon paper says: "Everything promises splendidly for a brisk spring trade. Nine new saloons are going up, and two stage-loads of beautiful frizzle-haired bar-tenders are expected next week from 'Frisco, which will set things moving in town."

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Decatur, Jan. 9, 1873—w tf.

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October 28 1872—dtf.
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PROFESSIONAL.

A. BROWER BUNN.
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE—Over W. W. Lapham's store Water street, Decatur, Ill. [feb8'72

D. L. BUNN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE:—Over Laddon & Co's Dry Goods Store East Main street. [feb.8-'71

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 13, 1872-dwtf.

W. T. CUSSINS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office, over S. M. Strally's Grocery Store, Decatur. Prompt attention to business.

E R ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEY at LAW
OFFICE:—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 14 south side New square.

C. C. McCOMAS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office in Room No. 2 north west corner of East Main and Water streets Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dw tf.

E. PARK. THOS LEE
PARK & LEE,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW. Office: Over Milliken's Bank.
EDWIN PARK, Notary Public. [dec13,'72-tf.

B. I. Sterrett,
ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square. [dec30-dawtf

James M. Irwin,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW No. 18 Merchant st., Decatur, Ill.
Aug. 31, 1872—tf.

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,
HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store

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W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law.
☞ OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-tf

DR. R. C. DAWKINS.
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B. F. STEPHENS.
January 6 1873-dtf.

The Daily Republican.

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S. K. HAMSHER, J. M. MOSSER.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Friday Evening, Feb. 21.

SENTENCED.—Osborne, the murderer of Mrs. Matthews, of Yates City, Knox county, was yesterday morning refused a new trial, and was sentenced to be hanged on the 14th of next month—the same day on which Driver, of Chicago, is to be executed. Now if the Supreme Court will only let the law take its course, these two great scoundrels will get their due.

NEW HAMPSHIRE will hold its next State election on the 11th of March. There are already in the field four tickets, with at least one more political organization, the "Labor Reform" party, to be heard from. It promises to be the scrubbiest of "scrub" races. Last year the near approach of the Presidential election made the whole phalanx of political orators ready to enter the field, and there were about as many speeches from eminent stumpers made during the campaign as there were votes cast at the election. But now no one heeds the Macedonian cry for help. The Granite State is compelled to play a lone hand on its own small game.

MR. CHURCH H. BLAKEY is a member of the Kentucky Legislature. Mr. Blakey is opposed to immigration. He is opposed to sending commissioners to represent Kentucky at the Vienna Exposition, and during debate on the resolution proposing to do so, said:

"For my part, I am glad they have never heard of our state. I want them to remain in blissful ignorance. I want Kentucky for Kentuckians. I believe Kentuckians and Virginians are the greatest and best people on earth. I don't want their blood contaminated, nor do I wish our children to be driven out of the state to seek distant homes by a set of ale brewers, grape runners, or anybody else. I would welcome industrious foreigners from every portion of Europe to our state, but I am opposed to going out of the way to pay anybody to come or to compel them.

IN the sudden death of Hon. Samuel H. Richmond, of Marshall county, Judge of the Twenty-third Circuit, the Judiciary of Illinois loses one of its ablest and most esteemed members.—The circumstances of his death are peculiarly sad. He was absent from his home, holding a special term of court at Urbana, for Judge Gallagher, and was stricken down suddenly, with none of the members of his family near him. His wife had left him only a day or two previously to attend the funeral of her aged father in Ohio. This double bereavement—the death of father and husband—one following so soon after the other, is sorrowful to contemplate; how much more grievous to bear!

AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

A suit of great importance to builders has been decided in the New York court of common pleas. A brick mason agreed to build a house at $6 per thousand for laying the brick. When he came to measure the brick he measured all the openings, windows, doors, etc., as solid work, making his bill $2,300 larger than it would have been had he only measured the solid wall. The man for whom the work was done refused to pay this $2,300, and the man brought suit to force the payment, pleading the custom of brick men in his favor. The court decided that his charge was illegal and that he had no legal right to charge for laying brick that were never laid. This decision is important to builders and contractors, as other state courts will be likely to follow the precedent of the New York court.

THE New York *Mail*, in speaking of the testimony of Mr. Colfax before the Credit Mobilier committee, says it sent a reporter to inquire of the Nesbit family about the $1,000 bill, and then adds, "the reporter found one of Mr. Nesbit's sons, and casually remarked that 'Mr. Nesbit's name was somewhat prominently brought out in the newspapers,' and received this reply, which contains a somewhat important bit of testimony in favor of Mr. Colfax: 'Yes, indeed, and what Mr. Colfax says is true, for mother says that she remembers my father telling her at the time that he had sent the money to him.

On mentioning this to ex Recorder Jas. M. Smith that excellent criminal lawyer remarked that it was a most important piece of evidence, and added that once, when he was running for a public office, Mr Nesbit with whom he had at that time a mere bowing acquaintance, had sent him a check for $100 in the same manner. Mr Nesbit was a warm personal admirer of Mr Colfax.

A PROBLEM FOR WOMEN.

Jean Ingelow has written a letter to Lucy Stone Blackwell in which she remarks, that to her thought, one of the problems, on which depends to a great degree the welfare of women, is to discover how domestic work is to be combined with high culture. It will be discovered that Miss Ingelow evidently regards the sphere of women as a domestic one—as a home one, and instead of inquiring how she may be lifted out of it, she aims to discover how she may become the happiest and the most useful in it. And Miss Ingelow's question itself lets in a great deal of light on the subject of household labor and household discomforts. "Domestic work" is never done by skilled hands. The seamstress, the tailor, the bootmaker, the milliner, the shirt-maker, all pass through a probationary course of preparation before they enter on the particular work in which they expect to engage, and a pretender or an impostor who would attempt to practice either of the foregoing trades, or many not mentioned, would at once be detected and pay the penalty for such imposition by loss of patronage. The knowledge household servants may have of the work required of them, is knowledge picked up here and there as chance may direct. Many servants, in fact the majority of foreign born or colored servants, can neither read nor write, and cook-books and other aids to healthy economical and tasteful housekeeping are sealed books to them. It is a fact that a woman who cannot read may keep well scoured floors, or snowy table-cloths, may bake good bread and palatable loaves of cake, but the capacity to join all the different parts of house-keeping together, and cause them, like a fine and complicated piece of machinery, to run smoothly and well, must come from a cultivation of the mind for the task, and on its successful attainment depends the happiness or misery of the family relationship. Jean Ingelow writes a quaint but sensible letter on the subject, the ruling sentiment of which is that house-keeping in all its branches, should be made the study of women. And when it is, when it is regarded as a trade to be learned, as an occupation which most women are called on to practice, and as one which, in all its details, is only disgraceful as it is ill-done, the real elevation and emancipation of women will fairly have begun. Women need to be emancipated from many foolish customs, to outgrow many false ideas regarding themselves, their capacities and their aspirations. To such, a happy home is an aim worthy of any woman, and a higher one she cannot reach, though she tread the boards like Ristori, write like George Eliot, or sing like Nilsson.—*Cairo Bulletin*

THE Massachusetts Legislature will elect a United States Senator on Tuesday next, to take the place of the Vice President elect, Wilson. It is generally conceded that Secretary Boutwell will be the new Senator.

THE constitutionality of the so-called liquor law, or in other words, "An act to regulate the sale of intoxicating liquors," which has been in operation in our State for the past six or eight months, has been sustained by the Supreme Court of the State in five separate cases in its recent decisions.

CHICAGO MARKETS

CHICAGO, ILL., Feb. 20—4 p. m.

Wheat opened active and excited—and No. 2 spring sold at $1,21@1,22¼ cash or seller February; 1,22¼@1,23½ seller March, and $1,25¼@1,26½ seller April—closing at $1,22½ cash

Flour was quiet and unchanged

Corn was in good request, with sales in No. 2 at 31@31½ cash, 31½@31⅝c seller March.

Oats were quiet and unchanged, closing at 26½ cash, and 27⅛c seller March

Rye was quiet and easier at 65½c. for No. 2.

Barley was fairly active, and No. 2 sold at 72½@73½c cash.

Highwines sold at 87½c.

Dressed hogs were firmer and 5c. higher, with sales at $5,00@5,20 for heavy and light weights.

Provisions were firmer and the demand was good, but light offerings restricted operations.

Mess pork sold at $12,85 seller March, and $13,10 seller April, and lard at $7.65@7.60 cash.

Beef cattle continue dull and weak, with sales at $3,60@4,85 for good cows to good shipping beeves.

Live hogs were dull, and the demand was altogether on shipping account. Sales were at $4,40@4,80, chiefly at $4,60@4,65

LONDON, Feb. 20—The Daily *Telegraph* devotes a large space to the details received by mail of the investigations now going on in the United States.

Referring to the disclosures made with regard to Pomeroy and the Kansas Legislature, the *Telegraph* praises the conduct of Col York, and continues: 'So long as America can boast of a free press, and find Yorks in each State, we shall not despair of American institutions.'

PARIS, February 20—The Republican had a grand celebration at Saragossa, Spain, on the 15th inst, the city having been practically delivered into the hands of the people. The Monarchial members of the city government resigned and their places filled with Republicans who were immediately installed. All political prisoners were released, and officers of the artillery resigned and surrendered their batteries to the Sergeants. The Red flag was displayed from the Governor's residence and other places. In the evening all public buildings illuminated.

TELEGRAPHIC.

2 O'Clock, P. M.

(Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.)

SPECULATIONS AS TO THE FATE OF AMES AND BROOKS.

Report of the Wilson Committee.

COLFAX NOT TO BE IMPEACHED.

A CLOSE VOTE ON THE RESOLUTION.

The London Press on American Corruption.

Spanish Republicans Rejoicing.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20—The testimony taken by the Poland Committee has not made its appearance in print, and the delay gives that large body of members who are anxious to vote on the winning side in the great contest of next Tuesday an excuse for appearing to suspend in order to act wisely and impartially. Appearances indicate, however, that the report is gaining strength by slow degrees, and that by Saturday it will be able to withstand severe assaults.

The question of the expulsion of Ames and Brooks is certain to be more or less complicated by amendments from both sides of the House, and it is entirely impossible to predict through what discussions and divisions the simple resolutions of the committee will be reached. One of the first efforts of the Democrats will be an amendment to include in the resolution of expulsion all members who had any dealings with Mr. Ames, which will undoubtedly fail them. Southern Republicans are endeavoring to organize a combination which shall secure to them greater influence and representation on the committees of the next House, and to this end will attempt to fasten disgrace on the members named in the report, which will practically disqualify them from chairmanships of any leading committees. One of these Southern members has already two resolutions perfected, which he will offer as an amendment to those of the committee: The first, censuring all members who took or tried to take stock from Mr. Ames; and the other, which will be offered if the former fails, censuring Messrs. Kelly, Garfield, Scofield, and Bingham for their transactions with Mr. Ames. For the latter resolution its author claims to have the pledges of three-quarters of the Republican votes, and an effort will be made to consolidate the entire strength of the Southern States in its support.

Mr Ames is preparing a statement in self defense, which he will probably request the clerk to read to the House, instead of delivering it himself. It will contain facts not heretofore made public.

The Wilson Committee has succeeded in evolving from the large and incongruous mass of material at their disposal an intelligent, well arranged and creditable report. The document makes about ninety pages, nearly the same as that of the Poland Committee. It first gives a history of the Union Pacific Railroad Company; next, the history of Credit Mobilier and its operations, of the Hoxie, Ames and Davis contracts, from all of which the committee find that the cost of the road to the company was over $94,000,000, and to contractors $50,000,000, leaving a profit of $44,000,00 in securities, worth at that time $22,000.000 in cash, to be divided among the contractors. The report answers in routine the argument of the Credit Mobilier in favor of the Ames contract, and discusses with satisfactory brevity the question of remedy which is recommended in the bill accompanying the report. The committee say they find no fault for criticism of the present management of the road, and omit from the report every thing of a personal nature. The bill which they offer is a much milder and less sweeping measure than had been intended, and if there were sufficient time left this session, would probably have a good chance of passage.

The last session upon the Judge Sherman matter was held to-day, when it was decided to transmit the evidence through the House to the Judiciary Committee for action, if in its judgment the case deserves impeachment. Mr Bassett, clerk of the committee, will probably be exonerated from all charges against him

In the House to-day, Mr. Wood rising to a question of privilege, offered the following resolution

Resolved That the testimony reported to the House by a select committee, appointed under the resolution of the 3d of December, 1872, for the investigation of the charges of bribery in influencing members of the House of Representatives, be referred to the Judiciary Committee, with instructions to report articles of impeachment against Schuyler Colfax Vice President of the United States, if in its judement there is evidence implicating that officer and warranting his impeachment

The question was taken and decided in the negative—yeas 105, nays 109, so the House refused to consider the resolution. The Democrats all voted for the resolution, and the Republicans against it, except Messrs. Beatty, Butler of Massachusetts, Farnsworth, Porter, of Virginia, Stevenson and Smith of Vermont—6.

There was a great deal of excitement as the vote progressed, and groups of members gathered around Mr. Banks, of Massachusetts, whose vote against considering the resolution seemed to disappoint members on the Democratic side. His explanation was that Mr. Colfax had testified yesterday, and he had not heard or read that testimony, and could not, therefore, vote for the resolution.

Mr. Tyner offered a resolution, which was adopted, referring the testimony taken before the Poland committee to the Judiciary Committee, with instructions to inquire whether anything in such testimony warrants articles of impeachment of any officer of the United States—not a member of the House—or makes it proper that further investigation should be ordered in his case.

WASHINGTON, February 20.—The President yesterday again stated his position concerning rotation in office as regard Postmasters. There are Postmasters who have been in office for ten years, and many Congressman consider that the rotation principle should be adopted; but the President takes the ground that no person will be removed except for cause, as he deems capacity and faithfulness more important considerations.

Senator Caldwell expressly declares that he will not resign. The indications are that the Morton resolution, declaring his seat vacant, will not pass. Mr. Morton himself doubts its passage. The Democrats will unanimously oppose it on the State's rights theory that the Senate may not go behind the certificate of the Kansas Legislature, as argued in Cushing's brief. They claim there is no question that the Legislature was properly constituted. There are many Republican Senators who oppose this report on legal grounds, and others claim that there is no proof that enough members were bribed to void the election.

The House Committee on Public Lands have instructed one of their number to report a bill which, if passed, will effectually defeat the intent of the Argicultural College bill. The bill is one introduced by Mr. Hawley, of Illinois, and provides for a repeal of the existing pre emption laws, for the withdrawal of all lands from market excepting timbered lands, of which a comparatively small quantity remains. This bill will be moved as a substitute for the third bill on the calendar in the present order of business.

The Wilson Committee have completed their report upon the Union Pacific company. It is about as long as the Poland report, and will probably be read to day. It contains severe strictures upon the Union Pacific Company, and recommends the passage of some bills to protect the Government, but is not so sweeping as to drive the road into bankruptcy.

The Senate Committee on Territories to day reported favorably the bill which has been before them all winter, providing for a general railroad incorporation law in the Territories.

There were two reports from the Senate Commerce Committee concerning the right of the General Government to regulate railway passenger and freight rates and fares between the State—one favorable and one adverse.

The Louisiana Committee have made their report. The majority report, signed by four, declares that there is no government in Louisiana republican in form, and recommends an entirely new election. There are four minority reports, one for Warmoth, one for Pinchback and Kellogg, one for McEnery, in part, and in part for the majority report. An exciting and protracted debate must ensue.

AMUSEMENTS.

SMITH'S OPERA HOUSE.

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Monday Eve., Feb. 24th.

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Cal. Wagner, Sam. Price, Ben Brown, Johnny Booker, Comedians.

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FOR A TERM OF 4 OR 5 YEARS, for which I will give Mortgage on unencumbered Real Estate, in a high state of cultivation. Leased this year for $700.

No real estate agent need apply

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DECATUR REPUBLICAN OFFICE.

February 10-d1w.*

To Wm L. Hemmer or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871 for the taxes for the year 1870, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: South half, lot 8, of outlots in West addition to the city of Decatur, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

feb10 d3w] PHILO FORD

To John Shanks or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, J. G. Kizer purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 11, block 9, Railroad Addition to South Macon, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

J. P. FARIS, Assignee.

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To James M. Draper or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 8, block 32, Railroad Add, to South Macon, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873

J. P. FARIS.

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To F S. Murphy or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, J. G. Kizer purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 8, block 3, Pinnt & Tuttle's Addition to Decatur, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

J. P. FARIS, Assignee.

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To John L. Adams or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, J. G. Kizer purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 6, block 1, Bandy's Add to Decatur, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

feb19-d3t] J. P. FARIS, Assignee

To Oglesby & Watt or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, J. G. Kizer purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 1, block 2, Oglesby & Watt's addition to Decatur, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

J. P. FARIS, Assignee

February 10, 1873—d3t.

To L. Blickenstaff or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 7, block "A" city of Oakley, and that the time of redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

feb 19-d3t] J. P. FARIS

To Randall Greeley or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, J. G. Kizer purchased the following described lot, to wit: Lot 1, block 1, S. K. Thompson's 2d Add. to Decatur, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

February 19 -d3t.

To R. H. Wheeler or whom it may concern.

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, J. G. Kizer purchased the following described lot, to-wit: West side lot 7, southeast quarter, southeast quarter, section 16, township 16, range 2 east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.

J. P. FARIS, Assignee.

February 19, 1873—d3t.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Charles J. Holt and Olive R Holt, of the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, did make, execute and deliver to James C. Lake, as Trustee, a certain Deed of Trust, conveying to said Trustee the premises therein described, to secure the payment of two certain promissory notes bearing even date with said Deed of Trust, executed by the said Charles J. Holt, and payable as follows, to-wit: One note for the sum of two thousand five hundred and ninety-six dollars and seventy-five cents ($2,596,75) payable to the order of Daniel W. Brunnemin; the other note for the sum of one thousand seven hundred and sixty-two and 50-100 dollars ($1,762,50), payable to the order of Francis M. Shaffer, both payable one year after date, with interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum after maturity. On the first of said notes there are the following credits: June 6, 1871, $1,906,20; July 6, 1871, $6,00; on the other there are the following credits: June 6, 1871, $1,293,80; July 6, 1871, $4,00. Said Deed of Trust was filed for record and duly recorded in the Recorder's office of Macon county, on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1871, in book 38, on page 251;

And whereas, it is provided in said Deed of Trust that if default be made in the payment of said notes, or any part thereof, or the interest accruing thereon, according to the tenor and effect thereof, it shall be lawful for the said James C. Lake, on application of the legal holders of said promissory notes to sell the said premises hereinafter described, or any part thereof, and all the right and equity of redemption of the said grantors, their heirs, executors, administrators or assigns therein, at public vendue, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, at the north door of the Court-house in Decatur, in Macon county, after having advertised such sale ten days in a newspaper published in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois

It is further provided in said Trust Deed that the grantee therein shall execute and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers thereof deeds for the conveyance in fee of the premises sold, and shall apply the proceeds of the sale—1st. To the payment of all advances made for taxes and assessments and expenses for advertising, selling and conveying as aforesaid including attorney's fees; and 2d, the amount due on said notes, 3d, rendering the overplus, if any there be to the grantors.

And whereas, the said promissory notes are past due and remain unpaid, except as before stated, and the legal holders of said promissory notes having made application to me, as said Trustee, to sell said premises under and by virtue of said Deed of Trust;

Now, therefore, public notice is hereby given to all persons, that by virtue of the power and authority conferred upon me by the said Deed of Trust, and for the uses and purposes therein set forth, I will sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, on

Saturday, the 1st day of March, A. D. 1873,

At the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the north door of the Court-house, on South Water street, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, the following described premises, situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit

Commencing at the northeast corner of the east half of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section No Sixteen (16), in township No. Sixteen (16) north range No. two east of the third principal meridian; running thence south fourteen (14) chains and fifty-six (56) links; thence west ten (10) chains and three (3) links; thence north fourteen (14) chains and sixty-one (61) links, to the northwest corner of said premises last above described; thence east ten (10) chains, to the place of beginning—containing 14 58-100 acres, and designated as lot four (4), in plat "C," in the partition of the estate of Hartwell Robinson, deceased. Said plat is recorded in book "M," page 169 of the Circuit Court records.

Upon making sale I will execute and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers therein a deed or deeds conveying to him or them the said premises in fee simple

JAMES C. LAKE, Trustee.

February 7, 1873—dawtds.

ROLLING MILL

Grocery Store.

A. S. CORSON

HAS ALWAYS ON HAND a complete stock of Family

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,

COUNTRY PRODUCE, ETC.

He will at all times endeavor to fill his customers with fresh Groceries, and at prices as low as any other store in Decatur. He respectfully solicits the trade of his immediate neighborhood and of all others who may favor him with their patronage.

N.B.—The Rolling Mill is located on Decatur St., south of Agricultural Works

feb18-d1m A. S. CORSON

New Bakery!

S. O. BOWER

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Decatur and vicinity that he has purchased the

Restaurant, Confectionery AND Bakery

On Water Street, formerly owned by C. H. Barrel.

He will make it his business to put this establishment in the most attractive shape, and keep constantly the best of Confectionery, Fresh Bread, Pies and Cakes,

CAKES FOR WEDDING PARTIES

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January 17, 1873—dtf.

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Those who think of purchasing an instrument of this kind should not fail to look at the Burdett before they make a final choice.

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GEO. F. HARGIS,

17 East Main St.,

Who is agent for the sale of the Burdett in Decatur and vicinity.

Jan. 21, 1873-dtf.

FOOLS' RALLY!

THE DECATUR TURNER SOCIETY will give their annual

MASQUERADE!

ON

Tuesday Eve., Feb. 25, '73,

Smith's Opera House!

All fools from Decatur and surrounding country (with numbers not very limited) are cordially invited.

THE COMMITTEE consists of the biggest fools of the Society, and it is expected to make this the biggest Fools' Ball of the season.

Come All, Big and Small!

TICKETS for sale by members of the Society and at the door.

☞ All person will be required to unmask to the Committee before entering the hall.

February 18—d-tf.

Dissolution Notice.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name of Rothrock & Bayless, Macon, Ill., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be run with John Bayless, who will pay all claims against the firm and collect all claims belonging to it.

N. ROTHROCK,
JOHN BAYLESS.

MACON, ILL., February 18, 1873.

All parties indebted to the late firm of Rothrock & Bayless will please call and settle with the undersigned immediately, and thereby save costs.

JOHN BAYLESS.

February 18, 1873—d2w.

Administratrix Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administratrix of the Estate of Hiram Hallinger, Deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of March, A. D. 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased. When and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

Dated this 3d day of February, A. D. 1873.

CATHARINE HALLINGER,
Administratrix

MRS. MARTIN, No. 7 West Main street, has a few unfurnished rooms she wishes to let with board. [May 31.

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CHAINS,

As well as a nice assortment of Gents Gold Silver and Plated Watches, sold in sets or single pieces. Also, a complete stock of

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☞ All goods WARRANTED as represented. Goods bought of me

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Having had an experience of over fifty years in the business, I feel confident that all goods bought of me and all watch repairing, etc., entrusted to me, will give perfect satisfaction.

J. L. KNIEPER,

No. 10 Water Street,

DECATUR, ILL.

May 21, 1872-1 yr

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To H. P. CHRISTIE, Agent, Decatur:

GIRARD all right.
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AMAZON—Loss light in Boston; will the at once.
D. B. WEST, Agt

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FARMERS, MECHANICS AND MANUFACTURERS, of Hamilton, O.—No losses.
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☞ Policies written and losses promptly adjusted, by

H. P. CHRISTIE.

Insurance Agent, and Notary Public, Decatur

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
County of Macon, }

In the Circuit Court, to the April term, A. D. 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on the 7th day of March, A. D. 1873, the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Lewis Mathias, deceased, late of said county, will apply to the Circuit Court of said county, for the sale of the real estate of said deceased, for the payment of his debts, and that the heirs and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at said term of said Court and show cause why said application should not be granted.

Dated this 3d day of March, A. D. 1873.

WILLIAM H. MADDEN, Adm'r of the Estate of Lewis Mathias, deceased.

Barrett & Hamilton, Attorneys.

Monday, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1873.

Present, the Hon. Jacob Wolfe, Judge presiding.

Lewis Mathias, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, William H. Madden, Administrator of said estate, filed his petition in this Court, praying for the sale of the real estate of said deceased, for the payment of his debts, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that said petition should be granted, it is therefore ordered by the Court that said Administrator be authorized to sell the real estate of said deceased, for the purpose of paying the debts of said deceased, and that the heirs and all other persons interested in said estate appear at the next term of this Court, and show cause why said application should not be granted.

Administrat

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Stephen Shipman, late of Macon county, Illinois, will apply to the County Court of said county, at Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of March, A. D. 1873, for the purpose of adjusting all claims against said deceased, when and where all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same for adjustment, or those indebted are required to make immediate payment.

Dated this 3d day of February, A. D. 1873.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS,
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, March term, A. D. 1873.

In Chancery.

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in said county, on

Monday, the 3d day of March,
A. D. 1873,

At which time and place said defendants are
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E. MCCLELLAN, Clerk.
NELSON & TONY, Sols. for Compl'ts.
January 20, 1873—d4w.

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HAYS & BRUCE

Are To-day receiving a large lot of

BLEACHED and BROWN MUSLINS,

TICKS, DENIMS, &C.

Also, three cases new style Prints.

All at our usual Low Prices.

Great Bargains offered in Jeans, Flannels, Waterproofs, &c., &c.

A few sets Mink Furs left, that we will sell at Half Price.

February 10, 1873—d-tf.

THE HOLIDAYS ARE OVER!

—BUT—

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Has still on hand a very large stock of

SEASONABLE GOODS,

Comprising all kinds of Standard and Miscellaneous Books, Poetry, History, Biography and Fiction.

A FULL LINE OF

Blank Books, Stationery, Pens, Ink, Envelopes, Etc.

Also, a complete stock of Fancy Goods, Albums, Chromos, Engravings, Picture Frames, etc., etc.

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January 2—daw-tf

BOOTS AND SHOES!

MADE TO ORDER,
And Repairing Promptly Done,
—BY—
R. H. CARTER
AT V. BARBER & CO'S,
No. 10 East Main-st.
November 23, d-3m.

New Hardware Store.

SAGE & SON

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM the citizens of Decatur and vicinity, that they have opened at the

Cor. Prairie and Merchant Sts.,

(next door to Chenoweth's Drug Store,)

A FULL LINE OF

Tinware, Stoves, House Furnishing Goods, Etc., Etc.

Among the leading Stoves on sale, are the

ARLINGTON

COOK STOVE, and the

DUBUQUE

SOFT COAL BASE BURNER.

These stoves are among the best offered in the market. We ask the public to call and examine our goods. Our prices are as low as the lowest.

☞ We have several as good workmen in tin, copper and sheet-iron, as can be found anywhere—consequently

JOB WORK

of all kinds will be done and satisfaction guaranteed.

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F. W. NIEDERMEYER,

—DEALER IN—

Groceries, Provisions!

Queensware, and Feed.

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STORE:—Corner North Monroe and West Eldorado streets, west of the Mound, Decatur, Ill. (nov22-daw,1y.

BRONZE LAMPS,

—ALL—

GLASS LAMPS!

The Perkins & House, The American Safety,

—AND—

DR. PARKER'S

Non-Explodable Lamps

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Lanterns, Brackets, Chandeliers.

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AS USUAL,

A FULL STOCK OF

QUEENSWARE! CHINA AND FANCY GOODS,

—AT—

J. H. LEWIS & CO'S

Decatur, January 4, 1873—dtf.

TEXAS LANDS!

FOR SALE

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FOR SALE three hundred acres of splendid unimproved land, situated near the city of Waco, Texas. Lands under cultivation in the same vicinity produce forty bushels of wheat per acre. The climate is the finest in the world, and is unsurpassed for health. For information apply to the undersigned, or at the REPUBLICAN office.

R. N. MILLS,
Decatur, Ill.

January 6, 1873-d6m)

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrators of the Estate of Stephen Shipman, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of March, A. D. 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

ELLEN SHIPMAN,
L. D. ALLEN,
Administrators.

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Friday Evening, Feb. 21.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...Lent commences the 26th.

...County Court is still in session.

...What has become of our coal shaft?

...Several conversions at the Bethel last night.

...Cal. Wagner's Minstrels at the Opera House next Monday night.

...Pekin boys now eat "hot apple dumplings for a dollar." Logrenia is there.

...There is an unusual amount of property changing hands in this city, and it is predicted that in the spring there will be a general rise in the prices of lots, houses, &c., in all parts of the city.

...One of the railroad officials who takes his rations in this city is spoken of "as one of the most gentlemanly conductors that ever punched a ticket or a snoot."

...Police business was exceedingly dull yesterday. No one was drunk enough to be arrested, and everybody seemed to have something else to do than make a disturbance. Emily Staines was fined $3 and costs for an assault. Case before Justice Baker.

...The meeting at the First M. E. Church last night was well attended, some fifteen or more seekers being forward at the altar. The meetings seem to be increasing in interest, and will be continued every night.

...A Mattoon business man dunns his slow customers under the ominous heading "no recalcitration." If that fails and they continue to kick back, he had better advertise for a word of at least ten syllables.

...For once one of those poetical people is right. We heartily endorse his sentiment:

"Oh hasten, year, to bring us June!"

...The "Oratorio of Esther" is raging with all the fury of the small-pox or the yellow fever, in the northern part of the State.

...Prof. Bergh is going to put a stop to the cruel practice of killing bed-bugs by smashing them between the thumb nails. Hereafter guests of the metropolitan hotels will be provided with chloroform and harpoons for the suppression of these night prowlers.

...The mercury was down to zero this morning—a change of 40 degrees in ten hours. That backbone of winter, of which we have heard so much, seems to be in a good condition in spite of the balmy air we were treated to for a couple of days.

...The protracted meetings at Stapp's Chapel are steadily increasing in interest. Last evening thirteen were forward for prayers and four conversions. The audience-room has been filled every night.—Rev. Mr. Travis preached a fine sermon last night. Rev. Mr. Stevenson preaches to-night.

...When the editor of the Mattoon *Journal* is rendered desperate by lack of local items, he still has one resource. He greases the sidewalk in front of his office and reaps the reward of honest industry by recording the downfall of innocent pedestrians.

...A young man in Taylorville was presented with a fancy pen-wiper by his sweetheart, and wore it to church the next Sunday as a cravat.

...Probably the most sensible wedding that has occurred in the city for some years was one which came off last week. There was no bridal tour, with its attendant follies of expense ad discomfort, but a plain, serviceable lunch of crackers and cheese at a grocery, and then the young people got into a wagon and rode home. That couple will no doubt have something left to furnish their house with.

Death of Wm. Warren.—Many of our citizens will be grieved to learn of the death of Wm. Warren, brother of John K. Warren, which took place at Philadelphia on the 8th inst. The deceased resided here several years, leaving Decatur for the East about four years ago. He had been afflicted with heart disease for a long time, and not long since had a paralytic stroke, from which he seemed to be recovering, but taking a sudden relapse he died suddenly, after a period of the most severe suffering. He was about thirty-five years of age, and was not only a most genial and affable gentleman, but a man of rare mental endowments. His death will bring a pang of sorrow to the hearts of all who knew him.

To Firemen!—The first regular meeting of the Firemen's Mutual Benefit and Relief Association will be held at the Council room, on Saturday evening, Feb. 22, at 8 o'clock. All members of the fire department are requested to be present.

EDWIN CARTER, Sec'y.

Feb. 1 d2

Discharged.—The jury in the case of King vs. Beatty, were discharged last night, they having failed to agree. A motion for a new trial was at once made—A. G. Harris, Esq., appeared for the plaintiff, and A. B. Bunn, Esq., for the defendant.

Silver Wedding.—A most enjoyable affair took place at the residence of Mr. Geo. P. Hardy, on West William street, last Saturday evening. It being the twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy, many of their friends from Bloomington, Moawequa and other points in the State were present. Many valuable presents were received, and after an evening of unalloyed pleasure the following poem was read:

THE SILVER WEDDING.

[*Affectionately dedicated to* MR. AND MRS. GEO. P. HARDY, *by their sister*, MRS. C. F. HARDY, *of Moawequa, Ills.*]

The years are gone—just twenty-five—
Since ye, with loving hearts and hands,
Did stand before the "man of God,"
To listen to the marriage bans.

Ye promised, each, to love and trust,
And cherish 'till death's hour;
To share alike earth's sunny days,
And cheer when clouds of sorrow lower.

In that bright hour the path of life
Seemed long and beautiful to view—
'Twas fringed with flowers of Hope and Love,
And not a cloud thy young hearts knew.

The morn is pass'd—'tis noontide now;
And from the summit of Time's hill
Ye gaze upon the winding path
Your feet have trod. 'Tis lovely still.

The buds of promise that Hope gave
Have opened into blossoms fair;
Though withered leaves *beneath* the stem
Tell that not *all* of them are there.

The flowers of Love? Not one has chilled
And drooped beneath life's changing sky
No leaf has severed from its mate—
No petal has been doomed to die.

At morn, one guest alone did dwell
Within thy heart's sweet resting-place;
But ah! there came another there,
With sterner mien and sadder face.

Sorrow *her* name; for not alone
Joy reigns in this brief life of ours;
God in His love doth give them both,
Though one drop tears, the other flowers.

Yes, they are gone! Those years of love
Within the silent Past now stand;
And on this anniversary night
We bring the offerings of our hand.

Accept them, with the wishes that
From loving hearts come welling up,
That God would shield you from all ill
And fill with happiness your cup.

We ask that Death may tarry long,
With face *averted* from your home—
That many years of holy love—
God's *richest* blessing—to you come.

And when ye pass with trembling steps
O'er Life's declining way,
May visions bright of the world of light
Be with ye all the way—

Until ye reach the "better home,"
Where the "many mansions" be;
Where loving ones are waiting now,
Close by the "Jasper Sea."

There may we all who have gathered here,
With hearts of love, to-night,
Meet yet once more with the loved of yore,
Around God's "Throne of Light."

Almost a Serious Accident.—The freight train that leaves here at about midnight, on the T., W. & W. R. R., met with quite an accident last night, about 2 miles east of this city.

The train was an unusually heavy one, and was about as much as the engine could pull. A sudden jerk broke the coupling between two cars in the middle of the train, the forward portion going on some distance before it could be stopped. The breaking of the coupling occurred on a grade, and the motion of the rear portion gave it a good start down the grade. In the meantime the front portion had been stopped, and was about to go back after the remainder of the cars, when they came of themselves, and with such force as to throw the engine and six cars off the track. With the exception of one of the brakemen a Mr. Cunningham, of Springfield, who had his ankle crushed between two cars, no one was seriously injured. He was brought to this city last night, and his limb was dressed by Dr. Mills.

As soon as the collision occurred a man was at once dispatched to Decatur to warn the 2 a. m. passenger train of the danger. The track was not cleared at 11 o'clock this morning, and the passenger train that should go east at 2 a. m. was still on the side-track in this city.

Thoughts about Genius—XII.—It would seem that the ancients did not attribute to genius the powers of exercising all the powers of the mind with equal facility and success. Their men of genius were advised to confine their labors to a single department of literature or art—for instance the painting of a particular animal or the composition of a particular kind of verse. They did not exercise themselves equally on all subjects, but cultivated the favorite ones which they had chosen from the impulse of their imagination. With them, the true glory of genius consisted in carrying to perfection a single species of their art. Alluding to an ancient sculptor, Madame de Stael has said, "The history of his life was the history of his statue." Dryden imagined that Virgil could have written satire equally with Juvenal, and some have defined "genius as a power to accomplish all that we undertake." Upon examination it will be found that each man of genius had his particular and peculiar department, in which he excelled; and the instances of men who have made ignominious failures when they attempted to cultivate opposite departments in their own pursuits, meet us upon every hand. Cicero failed in poetry, Addison in oratory, Voltaire in comedy, and Johnson in tragedy.

It is no longer, as we have seen, a wandering will-o'-the-wisp, coming no whence and aiming no whither; but is in its essence the strongest and highest gift in reason. Splendid visions may exist in the brain, deep feelings may shake the central heart, but genius, as we understand it, must not only be able to feel, but also to interpret and express. It is an excellent thing to be talented, a fearful one to be a man of genius.

To the Turner's Masquerade.—A great assortment of masks and suits will be to rent at the Turner Hall, Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 24th and 25th.

THE COMMITTEE.

Another Candidate.—Mr. George H. Wood is in the field as a candidate for Alderman in the fifth ward. Mr. Wood is one of the foremost citizens of the new ward, and those who know him best regard him as one of the most trustworthy and competent men in the city. If elected he would doubtless prove to be an excellent representative of his constituents, and a careful guardian of the interests of the whole city.

...The case of the People vs. Frank Whiting, charged with destroying furniture, etc., was before the County Court this morning.

Wanted—An energetic agent to sell the Remington Sewing Machine, manufactured by the Remington Rifle Company. For further particulars call on J. W. Olds, at the Priest House. [feb 19 3d

Diaries for 1873—At Litsinberger & Sutton's Book Store. [Nov 10 tf

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, Feb. 21, 1873.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$1.30@1.40
" White "	1.30@1.50
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	5.50
" red "	5.00
" superfine, "	5.50
" middlings, "	2.50
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	60
RYE—℔ bushel	40
CORN—℔ bushel	22
" shelled, per bush	23
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton	8.00@10.00
OATS—℔ bushel	18@22
FLAXSEED—℔ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	2.00
CLOVER SEED— " "	6.00@7.00
BEANS—℔ bushel	2.75
BUTTER—℔ ℔	20
EGGS—per doz	17½
LARD—℔ ℔	00½
BACON—Sides	10
HAMS—sugar-cured	15
SHOULDERS—per ℔	07
HOGS—Live, per hundred	3.25
CATTLE— " " "	3.50@6.00
SHEEP— " per head, unsheared	
" " " sheared	3.50@4.00
POTATOES—per bu	60
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	07
APPLES— " "	10@12
" Green ℔ bus	50@60
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	30@34
" " coarse & long	38@42
" " combing	40@41
" Fleece-washed merino & fine	48@50
" " coarse & long	50@60
" " combing	52@55
" Tub-washed	56@60
" " and picked	60@65
HIDES—Green, ℔ ℔	06@07
" Salted cured	09@09½
" Calf	10@11
" Dry salt	12
" Dry Flint	16
SHEEP PELTS—Green	30@75
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ ℔	50@60
" Common, ℔ ℔	35@40

CITY ELECTION.

MAYOR.

AT the request of many citizens, D. P. Elwood has consented to become a candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing election.

WE are authorized to announce MARTIN FORSTMYER as a candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce J. MCNAIR as a candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing municipal election.

ALDERMAN.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE H. WOOD as a candidate for Alderman, in the Fifth Ward.

WE are authorized to announce JAMES L. PEARE as a candidate for Alderman in the Fourth Ward.

WE are authorized to announce W. R. CHAMBERS as a candidate for Alderman in the Second Ward.

WE are authorized to announce BERRY H. CASSELL, as a candidate for Alderman for the Fifth Ward.

WE are authorized to announce E. L. EICHOLTZ as a candidate for Alderman in the First Ward.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE STARNES a candidate for Alderman in the First Ward.

WE are authorized to announce L. D. ALLEN as a candidate for Alderman in the First Ward.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN P. JONES as a candidate for Alderman in the Fifth Ward.

WE are authorized to announce L. F. MUZZY as a candidate for Alderman in the Second Ward.

WE are authorized to announce A. NEW SHOEMAKER as a candidate for Alderman in the Fifth Ward.

WE are authorized to announce ALFRED WUENSCH as a candidate for Alderman in the Second Ward, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM GABLER as a candidate for Alderman in the Fourth Ward.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM H. BRAMBLE as a candidate for Alderman in the Third Ward.

WE are authorized to announce T. J. ABLE as a candidate for Alderman of the Third Ward, at the coming city election.

TREASURER.

WE are authorized to announce DR. W. H. MITCHELL as a candidate for City Treasurer at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce M. K. HATCH as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Treasurer, at the March election.

WE are authorized to announce FRED. J. SMITH as a candidate for City Treasurer, at the ensuing municipal election.

MARSHAL.

WE are authorized to announce J. MILTON UNDERWOOD as a candidate for City Marshal, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN W. HAWORTH as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Marshal, at the March election.

WE are authorized to announce FRED. ADDERLEY as a candidate for City Marshal at the ensuing municipal election.

SUPERVISOR.

WE are authorized to announce HENRY HUMMELBURG a candidate for Supervisor, at the April election.

WE are authorized to announce JACOB SPANGLER as a candidate for re-election to the office of Supervisor, in the county April election.

COLLECTOR.

THANKFUL for past favors, I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Township Collector, at the coming April election. H. H. BROWN.

WE are authorized to announce JACOB L. BEAR as a candidate for Township Collector, at the April election.

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MACON COUNTY,

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Monday, the 3d day of March,
A. D. 1873,

At which time and place said defendants are required to appear and plead, answer or demur to the bill filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against defendants not answering, and as to them said cause will be set for hearing *ex parte*.

E. MCCLELLAN, Clerk.
NELSON & TONY, Sols. for Compl'ts.
January 20, 1873—d4w.

DRY GOODS.

GREAT REDUCTION

In all Descriptions of

Winter Goods!

—AT—

LINN & SCRUGGS'

SPECIALTIES:

Mallon's Black Silk Velvets,
Bonnet's, Ponson's and Guinet's Black Silks,
The "Peerless" Black Alpaca,
The Genuine Alexandre Kid Gloves,
and the Old Dominion Buck Gloves.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

January 2, 1873-dawtf.

BOOKS AND STATIONERY

—AT THE—

City Book Store!

17 East Main Street, Decatur.

A full and complete stock of Blank Books, Writing Paper Envelopes, Ink, Ink Stands, Pens, Holders, Pencils, and every other article in the Stationery line.

Our stock of Miscellaneous Books, such as new Works of Fiction, Standard Poets, History, Juvenile Books, &c., is unusually full and complete.

Now, that the Holidays are over, our entire attention will be devoted to our stock of Staple Goods which will always be kept full, to meet the demands of the trade.

Our CIRCULATING Library

furnishes a supply of cheap reading, and is constantly receiving additions of new books. Open every day during business hours.

LITSINBERGER & SUTTON.

January 16, 1873—dawtf.

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MACON COUNTY,

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From the first the manufacturers have displayed the finest mechanism and inventors of the age. The leading improvements now in vogue in "reed organs," were perfected and brought into the establishment of J. Estey & Co. Their instruments now stand

UNRIVALED

By anything found in this country or Europe.

We would invite the attention of purchasers to these superb instruments, whose superiority over all others is acknowledged by the best musical talent the country affords.

Payments for Instruments taken in monthly or quarterly installments.

OLD INSTRUMENTS taken in exchange for new.

Special inducements offered to cash purchasers.

CALL AT

—THE—

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And examine goods, prices, &c.

FISH & FOSTER!

January 23, 1873—dtf.

MILWAUKEE

MARKET ASSOCIATION

Grand Presentation Concert!

Dollars. **40,000** Dollars.

IN CASH PRESENTS.

50,000 Tickets, at $2 Each.

THE MANAGEMENT of the Grand concert being have to announce that unforeseable circumstances have made it necessary to postpone the same; however, they are pleased to state that the success of the enterprise has been BRILLIANT AND DECIDED, and that the concert now stands FIRM and SOLID financially, and will take place on:

Tuesday, March 25th,

AT THE
Academy of Music, Milwaukee,
Commencing at 10 a. m.

All agents are peremptorily required to close their sales and to send in their reports on the 10th of March, 1873. As the FEW TICKETS remain UNSOLD, parties wishing for them will please order immediately.

1 Grand Cash Present, $10,000
1 " " " 5,000
1471 Presents, ranging to $10,000 Cash.

The drawing will be conducted on the stage of the Academy of Music, in full view of the audience, under the personal supervision of the following well known and disinterested gentlemen, who have kindly consented to act as a

DRAWING COMMITTEE,

and who will make it their duty to carefully guard the interest of every ticket-holder near and far: James B. Kellogg, Esq., of Kellogg & Hutchinson, Insurance Agents; H. M. Mendel, Esq., President Milwaukee Musical Society; Don Mario Schreiber, Proprietor "Banner and Volksfreund;" Matthew Keenan, Secretary Milwaukee Board of Water Commissioners; Jos. H. Corles, Esq., Wholesale Grocer; A. Mebsdorff, Esq., Proprietor Mebsdorff's Willow-ware Works.

Officers & Directors of the Association.

OFFICERS—F. A. Schmidtner, President; P. V. Deuster, Vice President; F. W. Jacobs, Secretary; W. H. Jacobs, Treasurer.

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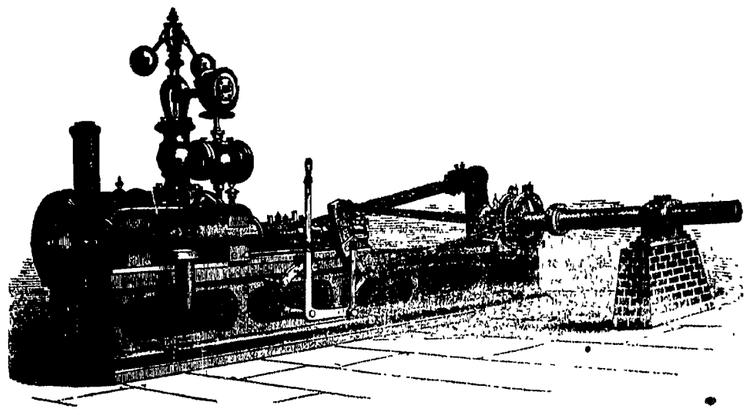

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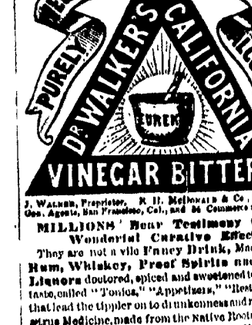

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